

---

**Introduced by Senator De León**

February 20, 2013

---

An act relating to the payment of claims against the state, making an appropriation therefor, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

## LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 371, as introduced, De León. Claims against the state: appropriation.

Existing law requires the Attorney General to pay certain judgments against the state.

This bill would appropriate an unspecified amount from the General Fund to the Attorney General to pay a specific judgment.

This bill would declare that it is to take effect immediately as an urgency statute.

Vote:  $\frac{2}{3}$ . Appropriation: yes. Fiscal committee: yes.

State-mandated local program: no.

*The people of the State of California do enact as follows:*

1 SECTION 1. The sum of \_\_\_\_ (\$\_\_\_\_) is hereby appropriated  
2 from the General Fund to the Attorney General to pay for the  
3 judgment in the case of \_\_\_\_.

4 Any funds appropriated in excess of the amounts actually  
5 required for the payment of this judgment shall revert to the  
6 General Fund on June 30 of the fiscal year in which the final  
7 payment is made.

8 SEC. 2. This act is an urgency statute necessary for the  
9 immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety within

- 1 the meaning of Article IV of the Constitution and shall go into
- 2 immediate effect. The facts constituting the necessity are:
- 3 In order to pay judgment and settlement claims against the state
- 4 and end hardship to claimants as quickly as possible, it is necessary
- 5 for this act to take effect immediately.